To: Jeremy Dillon[dillon@exchangemonitor.com]
Cc: Whitley, Christopher[Whitley.Christopher@epa.gov]

From: Belknap, Andra

**Sent:** Mon 3/10/2014 8:12:33 PM **Subject:** Re: wsj west lake landfill rpeort

Jeremy -- a statement attributable to EPA is below:

EPA has no information to support the assertions of this piece.

EPA headquarters and regional representatives regularly participate in meetings of the National Remedy Review Board (NRRB). Collaboration between Superfund experts across the country helps inform effective decision-making.

It's important to note that conditions in the Bridgeton community remain protective of human health. EPA and its partners are committed to ensuring that the community is protected from the nuclear waste that was dumped illegally at West Lake four decades ago.

From: Jeremy Dillon < dillon@exchangemonitor.com>

Sent: Monday, March 10, 2014 3:30:38 PM

To: Belknap, Andra

Subject: Re: wsj west lake landfill rpeort

Noon tomorrow

Sent from my iPhone

On Mar 10, 2014, at 3:20 PM, "Belknap, Andra" < Belknap. Andra@epa.gov > wrote:

Hi Jeremy -- what is your deadline?

From: Whitley, Christopher

Sent: Monday, March 10, 2014 2:47:03 PM

**To:** Jeremy Dillon **Cc:** Belknap, Andra

Subject: RE: wsj west lake landfill rpeort

Jeremy,

By copy of this message, I am referring your questions to my colleague at EPA Headquarters Public Affairs, Andra Belknap, for reply.

Thanks.

## **Chris Whitley**

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From: Jeremy Dillon [mailto:dillon@exchangemonitor.com]

Sent: Monday, March 10, 2014 1:07 PM

To: Whitley, Christopher

Subject: wsj west lake landfill rpeort

Hello Chris,

I saw the Wall Street Journal report that an EPA review board was pressured by officials at the agency to soften its challenges to an EPA plan for dealing with the West Lake Landfill. I wanted to check in to see if you guys had a response to this report? Is this information accurate?

Thanks,

Jeremy L. Dillon

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